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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

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| In re Application of | Henry Bolanos et al. | |
| Application Number | 09/882,131 | Filed 6/15/2001 |
| For | DISPOSABLE LOADING UNIT FOR SURGICAL... | |
| Group Art Unit | 3721 | Examiner Scott A. Smith |

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

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